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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)	
	:	Examiner: Aung S. Moe
KAZUHIKO NAKASHITA)	
	:	Group Art Unit: 2685
Application No.: 09/976,097)	
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Filed: October 15, 2001)	
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For: IMAGE PICKUP APPARATUS)	November 16, 2005
ADAPTED TO CARRY OUT	:	
PARALLEL OPERATIONS IN A)	
CONTINUOUS IMAGE PICKUP	:	
MODE, AND A CONTROL)	
METHOD	:	

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AMENDMENT

Sir:

Introductory Comments

In response to the Office Action dated August 16, 2005, the Examiner is requested to amend the above-identified application as follows: